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In re Application of:
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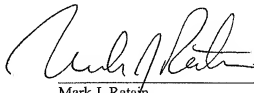
We, the undersigned, do declare that:

1. Mark J. Ratain is a U.S. citizen residing at 1040 West Oakdale Ave, Chicago, IL 60657. Federico Innocenti is an Italian citizen residing at 5020 S. Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, IL 60615. Anna Di Rienzo is an U.S. citizen residing at 5410 S. Blackstone Ave, Chicago, IL 60615. Carrie Grimsely is a U.S. citizen residing at 878 S. Wildwood Ave, Chicago, IL, 60901.
2. We are the named inventors for the above-captioned application.

3. The non-inventor authors of Innocenti *et al.*, *Pharmacogenetics*, 12(9):725-733 (2002), Soma Das, Jacqueline Ramirez, Cheng Cheng, and Hala Kuttab-Boulous provided technical and editorial assistance and thus did not contribute in an inventive capacity to the claimed subject matter of the above-captioned application.
4. Soma Das performed genotyping under the direction of the inventors.
5. Jacqueline Ramirez is Dr. Mark Ratain's chief technician and acted under his direction.
6. Cheng Cheng is a statistician who performed the statistical analysis as requested by the inventors.
7. Hala Huttat-Boulos was research technician for Dr. Anna Di Rienzo and acted under her direction.

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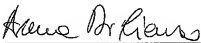
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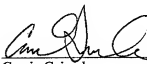
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